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The Permanent Representative of the Republic of Hungary to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, with reference to his note of 16 December 1991, has the honour to submit an aide mémoire and two annexes containing information on measures undertaken by the Hungarian Government to implement Security Council resolutions 713 (1991) and 724 (1991).

It is kindly requested that the present note as well as the aide mémoire and its annexes* be circulated as an official document of the Security Council.

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* Copies of the annexes may be consulted in room S-3520.

Annex

Aide mémoire

1. National legislation in force in the Republic of Hungary specifically prohibits any sale or delivery of weapons and military equipment from the Republic of Hungary to countries where armed conflicts take place, or such conflicts may be expected to occur, or to countries regarding which the Security Council of the United Nations called upon the parties to settle their dispute by peaceful means and negotiations, or to countries regarding which the Security Council decided on arms embargo (Government decree 48/1991).

Violations of the relevant legal provisions are punishable to the full extent of the law.

2. The Government of the Republic of Hungary has, from the very beginning, supported the involvement of the Security Council of the United Nations in the settlement of the conflict of the Southern Slav peoples in Yugoslavia.

The Government of the Republic of Hungary has welcomed and consistently respected the relevant resolutions of the Security Council regarding the armed conflict in Yugoslavia.

In this context, the Government of the Republic of Hungary strictly abides by the decision, taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations, by the Security Council in its resolution 713 (1991) on the immediate implementation of a general and complete embargo on all deliveries of weapons and military equipment to Yugoslavia. The competent governmental authorities, the organs of the Hungarian Customs Service as well as the units of the Border Guards are authorized and empowered to strictly enforce the general and complete arms embargo in accordance with Security Council resolution 713 (1991).